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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, PINS, SU

SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENT BAGHIR VISITS WESTERN SUDAN

REF: 76 KHARTOUM 3785

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1. ONLY FEW DAYS FOLLOWING RETURN PRIMIN RASHID AL-TAHIR BAKR FROM SOUTHERN DARFUR (REFTTEL), FIRST VICE PRESIDENT MAJGEN MOHAMAD AL-BAGHIR AHMED LEFT KHARTOUM (DEC 29) TO VISIT SOUTHERN DARFUR AND BAHR AL-GHAZAL PROVINCES. PRIMARY REASON FOR VISIT ACCORDING SUNA WAS TO DISCUSS PROBLEMS BETWEEN REZEIGAT AND DINKA TRIBES PRIOR TO RECONCILIATION CONFERENCE IN BABANUSA WHICH WILL BE HELD IN MID-JANUARY. FYI - THIS IS ANNUAL CONFERENCE WHERE TWO TRIBES DISCUSS CONFLICTING GRAZING RIGHTS. IN PAST, TWO TRIBES HAVE OCCASIONALLY FOUGHT OVER GRAZING AREAS. END FYI.

2. DURING VIST BAGHIR USED OCCASION TO MEET WITH SENIOR OFFICIALS OF BOTH PROVINCES AND UPON HIS RETURN TO KHARTOUM HE MET WITH SENIOR AGRICULTURE OFFICIALS. SAHAFA REPORTS
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HE DIRECTED MINAG TO HASTEN IMPLEMENTATION AGRICULTURAL PROJECTS IN NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN DARFUR PROVINCES AND TO IMPROVE DISTRIBUTION TO LOCAL TENANTS. BAGHIR VISIT ALSO PROVIDED ADDITIONAL OCCASIONS FOR PROVINCIAL GROUPS TO AFFIRM LOYAL SUPPORT FOR NIMEIRI. END UNCLASSIFIED.

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3. COMMENT: BAGHIR VISIT IS LATEST IN SERIES VISITS
BY SENIOR OFFICIALS FROM KHARTOUM TO WESTERN PROVINCES
AND IS ADDITIONAL INDICATION OF STRONG INTEREST EVIDENT
AT HIGHEST LEVEL GOS IN SITUATION ALONG WESTERN FRONTIER.
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